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**Customer No. 22,852**  
**Attorney Docket No. 05725.1254-00**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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<b>Sylvain KRAVTCHENKO et al.</b>	)	
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Application No.: 10/678,635	)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
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Filed: October 6, 2003	)	Examiner: Unassigned
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE  
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Sir:

In response to the communication of April 26, 2004, the period for response having been extended to November 26, 2004, by the accompanying Request for a five-month extension of time and fee payment, Applicants submit a copy of the executed Declaration/Power of Attorney, an English language translation of application, and a Preliminary Amendment for filing in the above-identified application, the required fee of \$1,500.00 (which includes the \$790.00 basic filing fee, the \$450.00 additional claims fee, the \$130.00 Missing Parts surcharge fee, and the \$130.00 fee for filing the English language translation of the application), and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

Please associate the enclosed Declaration, English language translation, and Preliminary Amendment with the above identified application.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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By:

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Dated: November 26, 2004



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

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 130.00 OP  
 130.00 OP  
 450.00 OP

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$1030** for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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 04 FC:1202

- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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